

## LADIES!

Do you know that Black Cat Hosiery has no superior?

That "W. B." is America's Leading Corset, and can be found only at our store?

That \$1 buys a pair of kid gloves equal to any \$1.50 goods?

That our spring styles of Silk, Satin and Percale Shirt Waists are far above the average?

That our trade premiums are something entirely new and will interest you?

Respectfully,

**J. C. HASKETT'S NEW STORE.**

### THE NEWS FREE.

To any man or woman in Baxter Springs who will call at the News office and state that he or she is the head of a family, and not able to subscribe and pay for the paper, we will send it one year free. A home where there are children growing up is a place where a newspaper is needed, and we'll do our part.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

If you want the very nicest sale bill that can be printed, and at reasonable prices, too, come to this office. We don't lay down to anybody on fine job printing, and especially sale bills.

**Bismark's Iron Nerve**  
Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want the qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at A. R. Kane's drugstore.

## Burton Smith's Cash Grocery.

Successor to Cheshire Grocery Co.

Groceries, Flour and Feed, Meats and Lard.

Full line of Canned and Dried Fruits  
Prices as Low as the Lowest.

### TO PATRONS.

On, and FOREVER after, February, 15th, I will have my residence in the Blood property.

Ring the door-bell at north entrance for night calls.  
Dr. STRYKER.

### Pain Unnecessary in Childbirth.

Pain is no longer necessary in childbirth. Its causes, being understood, are easily overcome, the labor being made short, easy and free from danger, morning sickness, swollen limbs, and like evils readily controlled, and all female diseases speedily cured. Cut this out; it may save your life, suffer not a day longer, but send us 2-cent stamp and receive in sealed envelope full particulars, testimonials, confidential letter, &c. Address FRANK THOMAS & Co., Baltimore, Md.

Bring your produce to C. C. Gaba and get groceries, fresh meats or CASH.

### Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of diseases is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was set free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c. Sold by A. R. Kane.

## CHAS. C. GABA,

DEALER IN

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Flour, Feed.

EVERYTHING TO EAT. Let me sell you your Dried Fruits. Mine are fine and fresh.

Fine Line of Cigars and Tobaccos.

Strained Honey & New Orleans Syrup.

ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE WANTED.

## DeWITT & THOMPSON'S DRUG STORE

is up-to-date with the biggest and most complete assortment of

## WALLPAPER!

Our 1900 Patterns are Beauties!

Come in and see for yourself.

600 bushels choice Red Top at Fribley's.

Hot chilli—good—at Etter & Galbreth's.

The Cherokee Sentinel is twenty-one years old.

Buy your bread, cakes and pies at Etter & Galbreth's.

Fresh Oysters served in any style and for sale at Mrs. Meyerding's.

About this time of the year look out for candidates for city offices.

The First National Bank of Miami opened for business last week.

The dancing club are figuring on giving a calico hop about "St. Patrick's day in the morning."

The Memphis system is stringing a wire from Fort Scott to Webb City for railroad business.

Prof. S. W. Fourd, of Weir City, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city the guest of W. C. Martin.

Miss Pearl McDonald attended the dance given by the Pleasure Club in Galena Monday night.

Another young blood of the 2d ward has collided with the law fixing the age of consent at 18 years.

The Empire City Journal professes to believe that town is going to have an electric street railway.

Mrs. S. P. Pritch and Miss Beasie and Irene Dent spent Sunday in Peoria as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harley.

Richard Nevins of Ioplin was in Baxter on Missouri, Kansas and Northwestern Railway business the first of the week.

Mrs. Fannie Stewart of Webb City, is visiting relatives in Baxter this week. She is accompanied by her two children.

The News wants to buy a new press. The News also wants its delinquent subscribers to pay up, so the press can be bought.

WANTED—Good girl for general house work. Permanent home to right kind of girl. Reasonable wages paid. Inquire at this office.

Milford Parker, city marshal of Galena and Dean Rakestraw, deputy sheriff, were among those subpoenaed on the Chas. Horn case which was held in Baxter on Wednesday of this week.

Morning and evening services at St. Mark's chapel, Sunday, March 4th.

REV. C. B. CRAWFORD, Archdeacon S. E. Kansas.

Kansas weather is very changeable. As proof of this assertion we want to say that there has been a blizzard, mild, of course, every other day for sixteen days.

When the Populist legislature changed ground hog day from Feb. 2 to March 17th, they made two grand mistakes; they gave a lot more winter and has knocked the National holiday of the Irish people into smithereens.

It is time to look up candidates for the various city offices and while we are about it let us select property owners who will be interested in an economical administration. Taxes should be cut down, law suits avoided and the affairs of the city run by business men on business principles.

The Modern Woodmen of America meet every Monday night now. Many new applications are being received and somebody rides the goat every Monday night. This is a good, sound order, and its insurance protection is cheap. If you want to know anything about it, just call at this office and we'll explain.

Little Jimmie Hicks was sent to the reform school for two years. His father was over from Galena Monday and was dressed in purple and linen. While here, however, he made no provision for the welfare of his family, and returned to Galena on the evening train. Charitably inclined persons are seeing that the family is in a measure looked after. Mr. Hicks did not call on the News.

The whiskey traffic needs less prayers and more good solid work. We have no doubt the W. C. T. U. with their earnest prayers and eloquent supplications have accomplished a world of good, but a stout active, red headed girl who would not be afraid to go around among the old bums and induce them to sign the pledge would probably prove a greater blessing to society than a column of resolutions and philosophical congratulations.

Mrs. S. O. Noble and Mrs. Geo. Haines entertained the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Haines. A contest to discover who was the closest observer was entered in. Mrs. Garrett was awarded first prize. Mrs. Eastham the consolation. Elegant refreshments were served. At 5 o'clock the ladies took leave of their hostesses thanking them for a very pleasant afternoon.

## GO TO ETTER & GALBRETH'S Restaurant and Bakery

Bread, Pies, Cakes, Ham, Chilli, etc.  
Always Clean and Fresh.

## COL. GREENMAN'S BUREAU.

An Old Baxter Man Writes Him For A Wife.

A man who lives in Baxter Springs, Kan., is the latest matrimonially inclined person to apply to Humane Officer Greenman for a life companion. This man is 65 and a widower. He says he has a comfortable income, and if his bride desires will take her to San Francisco. He is a Christian, and prefers a Christian wife. He is not particular whether she is maid or widow, but she must not be under 35. He says he is well educated and has traveled.—Kansas City World, Feb. 27th.

Now who can guess the name of the man who wants a young wife? We offer a weeks subscription of the Baxter Springs News to the first young lady naming the right man. We have carefully considered the names of all our eligible elderly gentlemen but we are still muddled as to who it is.

There is McMurray, but he don't want a young wife; there is Mac Gill, but he loves his mother and does not want a wife. It might be Comrade Pinnick but he never advertises and besides his eyes are not on a Missouri widdle; neither can it be Harry Douthat, because—because. Let us see: Fred Bartlett is available but he thinks too much of his rubber tired mare to bother with a wife, and none of our older widowers would think of advertising for a young giddy thing of 35.

We hope the maiden ladies and widows of Baxter will each make a guess as to who this gentleman is, and we promise to forward a flattering description of each candidate so that the bridegroom can pick one to suit without the trouble of going to Col. Greenman's matrimonial bureau.

## PURE COUNTRY MILK.

C. W. Daniels and L. R. Deree have purchased the dairy and milk route of Mrs. Peters and will continue to supply pure country milk to all at the lowest rates. The Baxter Dairy (the new concern) have 11 fine Jersey and Guernsey cows to start with and will put on more as demanded.

The Baxter Dairy is located on the old Dyer farm belonging to C. W. Daniels, containing 50 acres of fine tame grass pasture of red top, clover and timothy and abundant supply of pure water, with fine barns and stable room and every thing required for a first class dairy farm.

Parties can be supplied with milk from one cow night and morning if they desire. Milk warranted pure. Office with C. W. Daniels or on the farm.

## TO VOTERS.

Registration books are open at my desk in the News office, as well as in C. W. Daniel's office. You can register at either place.

C. A. WILLIS, City Clerk.

## REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

A call is out for a big Republican caucus at City Hall next Tuesday evening March 6th, at 7:30, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various city offices.

## CEMETERY NOTICE.

The Woman's Cemetery Association will meet in the Library room Tues. March 6th at 2:30 p. m. at which time plans for spring and summer work will be made and a full attendance is desired.

Mrs. J. J. FRIBLEY, Pres.  
S. J. KELLY, Sec.

The grocery store of Henry Wear in Blendsville was robbed Monday night. The safe was blown open and \$900 in good coin of the realm abstracted therefrom. The officers have no clue to work on in this case.

Albert C. Stevens, formerly editor of Bradstreet's, says that the fraternities are carrying about one-third of all the insurance business of the country at about one-twentieth the expense connected with the transaction of the other two-thirds of the business by old line companies. Mr. Stevens is an authority on insurance. He is the author of several valuable books on insurance and fraternal beneficiary societies, and knows whereof he speaks.

Speaking of the benefits of gamblers to a town, a reader of the Iowa Register tells the following story: A poor working man with a family became mixed up with the gambling fraternity in town and lost all of his earnings and his wife and children became in greater want day by day. Finally their need was so great that the man decided to sell his mules. He sold them and the gamblers got hold of him before he reached home and stole from those babies and that woman all of the price those mules brought except two dollars. There ought to be some way to punish big, lazy criminals who steal bread from babies. It is well to pull the joints. It would be better to pull the gamblers.

The planing mill has made a lot of stakes for the proposed new road.

Joe Lathrop has accepted a position with L. A. Cross, the new implement man.

C. W. Daniels has a fine Jersey bull. He calls him "Yarboro" as he is no higher than a nine spot.

L. R. Deree of the new Baxter dairy fell from his wagon last Monday and dislocated his collar bone. He will be out in a few days.

The Norman hotel seems to be crowded with drunkards every night. All our associates are looking up with new goods and the Norman is the favorite hotel.

## COST. COST.

Now is your golden opportunity.

In order to close out our entire stock of Ladies' and Children's Capes and Jackets, and Men's and Boy's Overcoats we will offer them to you at cost and many of them below cost. You can save 50 per cent by buying at this time.

Capes that were \$1.50, for	\$ .75
Capes that were 3.00, for	1.50
Capes that were 4.00, for	2.75
Capes that were 5.00, for	3.00
Capes that were 7.50, for	5.00
Capes that were 10.00, for	6.00
Capes that were 15.00, for	10.00
Jackets that were \$ 3.75, for	\$2.50
Jackets that were 5.00, for	3.00
Jackets that were 6.00, for	4.50
Jackets that were 7.50, for	5.00
Jackets that were 10.00, for	7.50
Jackets that were 12.50, for	9.00
Overcoats that were \$ 1.50, for	.75
Overcoats that were 4.00, for	2.75
Overcoats that were 5.00, for	3.50
Overcoats that were 7.50, for	5.50
Overcoats that were 10.00, for	7.50
Overcoats that were 12.50, for	10.00
Overcoats that were 15.00, for	11.00
Overcoats that were 20.00, for	13.50

ONE WEEK ONLY.

**JOHN M. COOPER.**

When in Miami eat at the Oxford, east side of Main street. Meals and lunch served at all hours. Oysters any style.  
L. F. MUEHLSCHESTER, Prop.

**It saved his Leg.**  
P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga. suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days. For ulcers, wounds, burns, boils, pain or piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by A. R. Kane.

**Money to Loan.**  
on Chattel Mortgage Security.  
F. E. COLVIN,  
"The Bonded Abstractor,"  
Galena, Kan.,—Columbus, Kan.  
Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says: "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung disease. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results. DeWitt & Thompson's.

Watch this space for next week.

NEW IMPLEMENT HOUSE IN TOWN.

Have your shoes look decent. Let me shine 'em. Black or tan; makes no difference.  
At Bacon's barber shop.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Canton, N. Y. writes: "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicine without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. DeWitt & Thompson's.

**Home Money**  
to Loan on Farms.  
Interest and principal payable at Galena, Kan., or Columbus, Kan.  
F. E. COLVIN,  
"The Bonded Abstractor."  
Couldn't help getting a cold never cured it; but carrying home a bottle of Ballard's Horsehound Syrup, and using as directed, will cure the worst kind of cough or cold. Price 25 and 50 cents. A. R. Kane.  
LIGHT DRIVING DONE DAY OR NIGHT, BY MAC GILL.

## I have opened up a new stock of HARDWARE

in the Hornor building next door to Kane's drug store. I have a complete stock of

SHELF HARDWARE AND TINWARE.

Call and see me and get prices. Low prices and courteous treatment.

**I. N. LYNCH.**